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*Description:* ff. i + 34 + i - Contemporary 16th-century morocco binding - Formerly held in a private collection in Würzburg, Germany. Sold by Sam Fogg Ltd. (London) to Lawrence J. Schoenberg, Feb. 1997 (bookplate inside upper cover). Gift of Lawrence J. Schoenberg and Barbara Brizdle, 2011 - Transformation of knowledge: early manuscripts from the collection of Lawrence J. Schoenberg (London: Paul Holberton, 2006), p. 151

*Number of Parts:* 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 0

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*Language:* Latin *Century:* 16th

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### Part 1: ff. 1-34

*Description:* - Parchment - 240 mm x 164 mm

*Country:*

*Cardinal point:*

*Region:*

*City:* Venice

*Assigned Date:* s. XVI<sup>in</sup>

*Searchable Date Range:* 1500 - 1515

*Dated by scribe:* Yes

*Inscribed Date:* 1510

*Document:* Yes

*Number of Scribes:* Single hand

*Script:* Italic

*Figurative Decoration:* Full title page illumination showing Saint Paul presenting the kneeling Paolo Nani to the enthroned Virgin and Child, surrounded by a border of white and gold grisaille on blue, incorporating the Venetian winged lion of San Marco at the top and arms at the bottom (f. 1r)

*Other Decoration:* Square capitals in left margin at beginning of paragraphs, alternating between red and green

*Notes:* Latin

*Number of Texts:* 1

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### Text 1: ff. 1r-33v

*Title:* Commission

*Language(s):* Latin

*Notes:* Commission from Leonardo Loredan, doge of Venice, addressed to Paolo Nani, concerning Nani's duties, rights, and obligations while holding the positions of podestà (civil administrator) and capitaneus (military commander) of Treviso, a mainland community north of Venice under Venetian control

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